



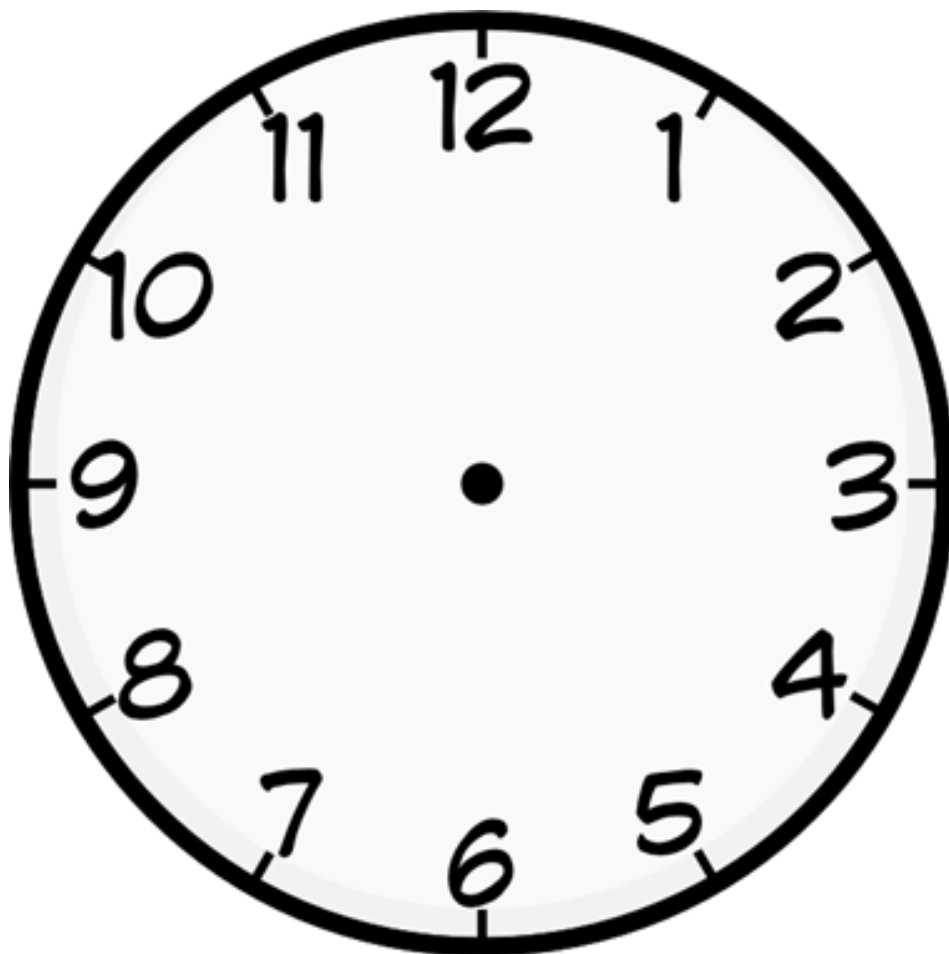
I Am Going to the Library!

A social story about visiting the
Loma Colorado Library



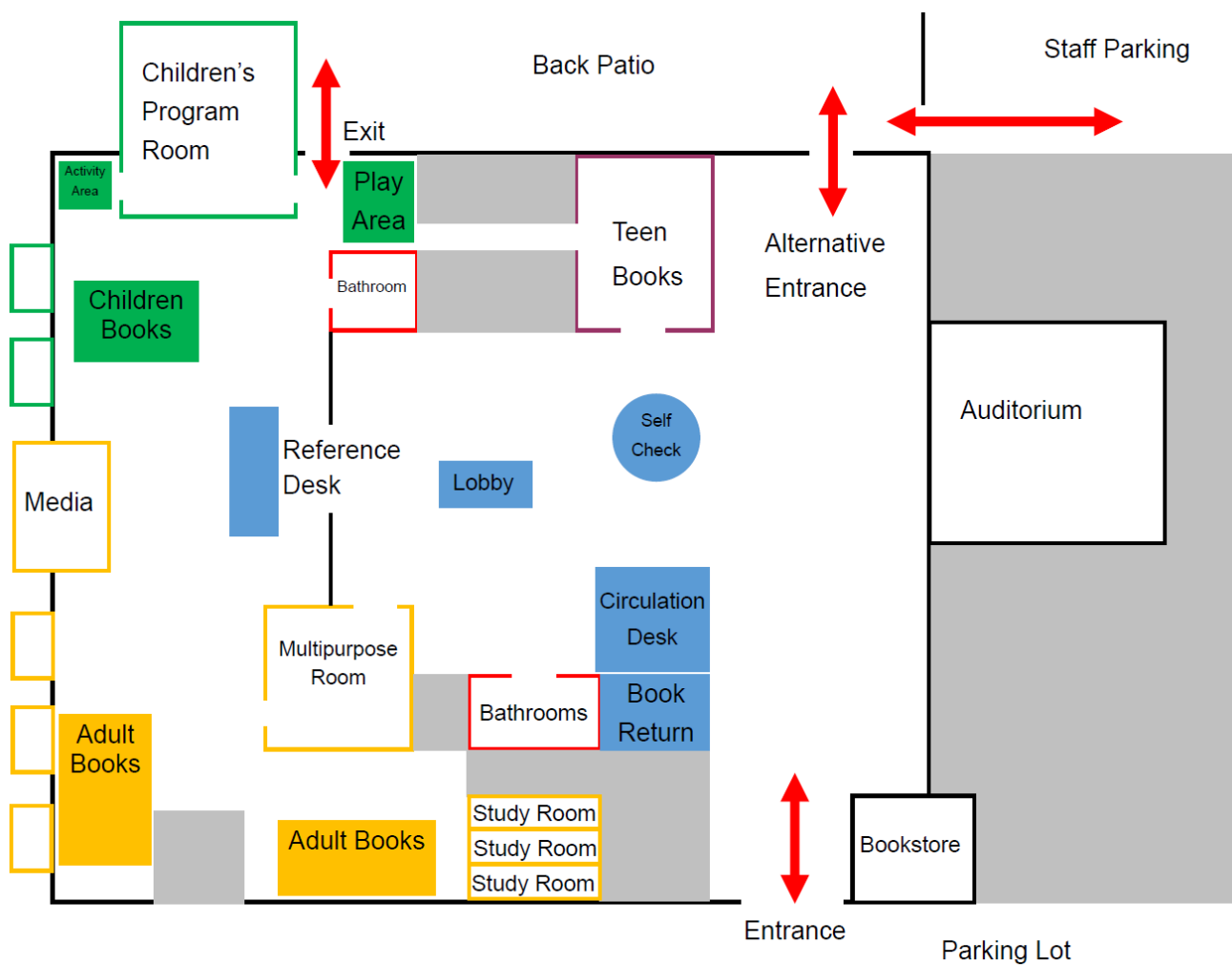
We walk through the entrance to get inside.
If the front entrance makes me feel
uncomfortable, I can go through
the back entrance.

We will be here until:





If I have been to library before, I may have
borrowed things.
I will return them in the return slot.



The library is separated into sections.



At the library, I can look at books, DVDs,
and many other things.

When I am at the library, I will follow the library rules:

Library Rules:

1. Walk instead run.
2. Follow Directions.
3. Use inside voices.
4. Put toys and books away when finished.
5. Stay by an adult at all times.



There might be other people reading or studying, so I will use my quiet voice.



I will also try to keep a calm body and remember to walk when I am at the library.



There are computers I can use to look up a book and find out where it is.



There are also computers I can use to play games or to help me with my homework.



If I have a question, I can ask one of the
people working at the reference desk.
Librarians are helpful!



If noise bothers me, I can ask a librarian for headphones to make the sounds quiet.



There is a bathroom for me to use at the library if I have to go potty



There are also toys for me to play with.
I will share them with other kids who are at the
library so we can have fun together.



I can look at a calendar to see when there are fun programs.

It is exciting to try new things!

If I feel overwhelmed, I can leave early or ask for a quiet space.



When I am ready, I bring my books to the circulation desk to check them out or use a self-checkout machine.



I use my library card to check them out.



Going to the library is fun!
I can't wait to visit again.

Parents/Caregivers:

For more information about sensory-friendly services offered by Rio Rancho Public Libraries, please contact 505-891-5013 and ask for Youth Services.

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